



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application : **Confirmation No. 2488**  
Kazunori KATAOKA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_1545A  
Serial No. 10/509,576 : Group Art Unit 1641  
Filed September 29, 2004 : Examiner Shafiqul Haq  
BIOSENSOR CHIP SURFACE CARRYING : **Mail Stop: Amendment**  
POLYETHYLENE GLYCOLATED  
NANOPARTICLES

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of  
October 20, 2005.

The fee of \$1,020.00 is

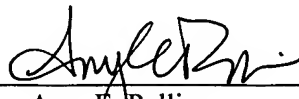
(X) submitted herewith.  
( ) to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is  
enclosed.

( ) Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion  
which

( ) is enclosed.  
( ) has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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